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Specialties in

ROSES

Hybrid Perpetuals, Everblooming,
Moss, Climbers and Ramblers

PEONIES and
PERENNIALS

Supplement

ALBAMONT GARDENS

Campton,

New Hampshire

Rose Culture

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PLANTING

Roses are generally planted in the early Spring, although excellent results follow planting in October and November. If one has not had the opportunity to get ready in the early Spring, pot grown Roses can be used all during the Summer months. Roses are heavy feeders and the beds should be well prepared, using well rotted manure. Set the plants 18 inches to 2 feet apart, and bury the collar or bud about 1 inch below the surface of the ground. Spread the roots and work the soil in amongst them, finally treading firmly. Water thoroughly after planting. A Summer mulch of Imported Peat Moss is highly recommended.

PRUNING

New plants should be cut back to within 6 inches of the ground. Old plants should be pruned in April, one-half to two-thirds of the previous season's growth.

PROTECTION

Hill the earth up around the plants to a depth of 6 or 8 inches, and when this is frozen, cover bed with strawy manure or leaves.

Use "Evergreen" as a spray for *Aphis* and *Fungtrogen* for "Black-spot." The use of *Terogen* as an Autumn-Winter ground dressing destroys the spores of most fungous diseases as well as the larvae of insects.

HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES

Strong, two-year-old plants, each 50c.

American Beauty. A famous, deep rose red flower, popular in the florists' shops for many years.

Frau Karl Druschki. Very large, pure white buds and blooms of perfect form, excellent texture and keeping qualities.

General Jacqueminot. Bright crimson buds and flowers are attractive and fragrant.

Georg Arends. One of the loveliest pink Roses known, with a pale soft color unequaled by any other variety.

Ulrich Brunner. Very bright, light crimson flowers of cupped form and great size. Extremely liberal bloomer of vigorous growth.

NOVELTIES IN EVERBLOOMING HYBRID TEA ROSES

Strong, two-year-old plants

Betty Uprichard. Flowers of golden salmon pink suffused copper on outside of petals. Each 75c.

Charles P. Kilham. The pointed buds open to deep, full formed, fragrant blooms of bright orange pink with fiery centers. Each \$1.25.

Dame Edith Helen. True, pure pink, fragrant flowers of great size. Each \$1.00.

Doris Taylor. The long buds orange cadmium; the outer petals heavily flushed deep orange. As the large flower expands it changes to a deep amber yellow. Each \$1.00.

Duchess of Athol. Old golden orange flushed with peach pink, particularly attractive in the bud and open state. Each \$1.00.

Duchess of York. A pretty shade of tangerine orange with rose suffusion, passing to golden rose pink as the flowers develop. Each \$1.00.

Edith Nellie Perkins. The outside of the petals, are of cream and blush shaded with orange at the base; the inner face is salmon pink with golden orange base. Each \$1.00.

E. G. Hill. Red Rose, producing massive blooms of deep maroon, velvety on the inside and glistening on the outside. Each \$1.25.

Etoile de Feu. A rich, flaming orange pink with flame colored shadings, the plant is of vigorous habit with attractive, glossy foliage. Each \$1.00.

Etoile de Hollande. One of the finest red Roses. Flowers large, of brilliant scarlet. Each \$1.00.

Feu Joseph Looymans. Charming blooms of clear yellow; apricot markings at center. Each \$1.00.

Julien Potin. A rich golden yellow that grows richer and deeper as the flowers mature. Each 75c.

Joanna Hill. A glorified Mrs. Aaron Ward. Heavy lemon buds opening into a majestic bloom with Indian yellow center surrounded by cream petals. Heavy foliage. Each \$1.25.

Jules Gaujard. A very pleasing shade of orange rose. A distinct, vigorous grower that is very free flowering. Each \$1.00.

Lady Margaret Stewart. Very large buds of golden orange shaded with copper. The flowers open to a beautiful golden yellow. Each \$1.00.

Lord Charlemont. Pointed buds, opening to double flowers which are a vivid scarlet and very fragrant. Growth is bushy. Each \$1.00.

Margaret McGredy. The large, double, cup shaped flowers are orange scarlet which does not fade. Each \$1.00.

May Wettern. New very deep pink salmon bloom, fine pointed buds. Strong bush free from disease. Each \$1.00.

Miss Rowena Thom. Large, double blooms of bright rose pink with a golden suffusion; fragrant. Each \$1.00.

Mme. Alexander Dreux. Buds of a brilliant golden coppery tangerine orange yellow that is most captivating. Each 75c.

Mrs. Arthur Robert Waddell. Soft rosy salmon, suffused with a golden sheen; a free flowering garden variety. Each 75c.

Mrs. Erskine Pembroke Thom. The pointed buds open to shapely, fully double, sweet scented flowers of soft lemon yellow. Each \$1.00.

Mrs. Henry Bowles. The large, dark pink flowers are freely borne on good stems. One of the leading pink Roses. Each 75c.

Mrs. Henry Morse. The dwarf, branching bushes produce freely their finely formed flowers of bright pink with a suffusion of silvery pink. Each 75c.

Mevrouw G. A. Van Rossem. Here is an extremely showy, outstanding Rose with a vivid coloring. Throws medium sized, semi-double flowers of a distinct dark orange. Each \$1.50.

Padre. Large, semi-double blooms of flashy, reddish copper, paling a little with age to glowing copper orange. Each 75c.

Patience. Deep scarlet carmine opening to large, fragrant, double perfect blooms that shade from orange at the base of the petals to rich carmine at the edges. Each \$1.25.

President Herbert Hoover. A dazzling combination of cerise pink, flame, scarlet and golden yellow. Each \$1.25.

Rev. F. Page-Roberts. The long buds are copper red opening to very large, fragrant flowers stained with red. Growth is strong with healthy foliage. Each \$1.00.

Roslyn. A beautiful, distinct, new yellow, very double orange colored buds on long, strong, stem. Vigorous, compact growth, lustrous foliage; a sure success when it becomes known. Each \$2.00.

Sensation. Splendid, large, crimson scarlet, perfect in its long pointed bud as in the fully developed, sweetly scented, double flower. Each 75c.

Talisman. The sweetly fragrant flowers are large petalled and strikingly colored glowing coppery pink, suffused and overlaid with pure gold. Each \$1.00.

Wilhelm Kordes. Vivid salmon pink, shaded and splashed with orange and gold. The blooms are gloriously formed and delightfully fragrant. Each \$1.00.

EVERBLOOMING HYBRID TEA ROSES

Strong, two-year-old plants

All 60c. each, or \$6.00 per doz.; not less than 6 at dozen rate

Betty. Long pointed coppery buds of exquisite shape and finish. The open flowers are loosely formed, of soft pinkish buff color.

Briarcliff. Sport from the popular Columbia has beautiful, intensely fragrant flowers of a rich, even tone of pink.

Columbia. Flowers bright pink, fragrant, of beautiful shape. Free flowering, strong growth, and good foliage.

PEONIES

Everybody enjoys the glory of the Peony season, when the giant, fragrant flowers adorn almost every country dooryard. But the old time varieties have been much improved, and the better sorts now available are revelations of beauty and abundance. Peonies are among the hardiest of plants and are exceedingly easy to grow, requiring only sunshine and water during the growing season, and a deep, rich soil. When enriching the ground, fresh manure should not be placed near the roots. Planting too deep is a frequent cause of shy flowering, and therefore the roots should be planted so that the eyes are 2 to 3 inches below the surface.

CHOICE NAMED VARIETIES

Each 75c., doz. \$8.00, 100 \$60.00 except where price is noted

Baroness Schroeder. Rose type; late flowering. Considered the best all-around Peony. Sweet-scented baby pink blooms shading to white. A splendid variety for the garden and cutting.

Couronne d'Or. Large, flat, semi-rose type. Pure white, with a circle of bright yellow stamens that suggest its name "Crown of Gold." Medium tall, free bloomer. Late midseason.

Duchesse de Nemours. Early. A lovely pure white variety with sulphur white collar; medium size; fragrant.

Edulis Superba. Large, loose crown of brilliant mauve pink with collar striped lilac. Very vigorous, upright, free blooming and early. Deliciously fragrant.

Ella C. Kelway. Soft lavender pink.

Eugenie Verdier. A fragrant, midseason variety of a delicate Hydrangea pink shade. Large blooms of semi-rose type. Long stemmed.

Festiva Maxima. Very large, full, rose type blooms having pure white centers and petals tipped with bright crimson. The most popular white variety for cut flowers.

Floral Treasure. Midseason, pink. Old favorite, cut flower variety.

Fragrans. Free blooming; red.

Frances Willard. A perfectly formed flower that is found among the winning classes in every show-room. A very large, semi-rose type of bloom, often having a raised, cup-shaped center inclosing golden stamens. Opens an exquisite blush white, with an occasional carmine touch, changing to pure white. Of good substance and a fine cut flower variety. Late midseason. \$1.50.

Germaine Bigot. Very large, midseason to late; a royal variety. Most excellent pink.

La France. Soft appleblossom pink, deeper at the base of petals; fragrant. Flowers of largest size, globular, perfectly double, rose type. A strong, erect grower. \$4.00.

Le Cygne (The Swan). "One of the three finest Peonies." The curving petals of this magnificent flower are arranged like the feathers on a swan's wing. "Symmetrical, globular, of great size, fragrant, free blooming, and milk white." "Le Cygne stands by itself." It is unquestionably the finest white and received the highest rating in the American Peony Society's referendum. \$4.00.

Longfellow. Perhaps the most brilliant of all the red zones. Golden stamens show around the center petals. Late midseason. \$2.50.

Louis Van Houtte. Medium sized bloom, semi-rose type; deep carmine rose, with fiery reflex; fragrant. Medium height.

Mme. Crousse. Its flowers are medium to large in size, globular crown type, and the prominent guard petals and a few of the collar petals reflex to the stem on well developed blooms. In color, it is uniform, pure white, with the center petals occasionally flecked crimson. The plant is of medium height and slightly spreading habit, with strong stems. One of the best of the older white Peonies that is worthy of a place in any garden and suitable for landscape.

Mme. Boulanger. Fragrant soft pink shaded lilac.

Mme. Lemoine. Very soft pink ringed carmine.

Marie Crousse. Bomb type; midseason. Color soft salmon pink shaded a glossy satiny lilac. A most desirable Peony.

Meissonier. Very brilliant crimson.

Mons. Jules Elie. Bomb type; early midseason. King of all Peonies. Color an ideal, glossy lilac pink, shading to a deeper rose at the base, the entire flower overlaid with a sheen of silver. Ideal for cut flowers. Each \$1.00.

Mrs. Carew. Large, delicate silvery blush.

Officinalis rosea plena. Soft bright pink, very early. Each \$1.00.

Officinalis rubra plena. Large double flowers, dark crimson. Very early. Each \$1.00.

Richard Carvel. Immense, globular bomb. Flower bright, all one shade of crimson. Guard petals large, broad and prominent. Early, tall, very stout stems, annual and profuse bloomer. Delicate fragrance. The best early dark red. \$2.00.

Rubra Superba. Brilliant deep crimson blooms borne very late. A rose type, making a most magnificent show. A good, strong grower.

Solange. Ranked with Le Cygne and Walter Faxon as the three best Peonies. "Until the lover of Peonies knows Solange, his life is wasted, bare, uninteresting, impoverished, and lonely beyond all words to tell. Its flower is high built, compact, and composed of large, thick petals which closely overlap. The color is deep cream, tinged with amber throughout, with a touch of soft, salmon pink glowing from its heart." \$2.50.

Suzette. Superb bengal rose.

Walter Faxon. Ranked with Solange and Le Cygne as the three finest Peonies. "Here is the most delectable hue of pink displayed by any of the Peonies outside of the tree Peonies." It is a free-blooming variety and grows strongly. It is very scarce. \$2.50.

Red, White, or Pink Peonies, Unnamed. Each 35c., doz. \$3.50. Not less than 6 at the dozen price.

PERENNIALS

PHLOX SUBULATA

(Moss or Mountain Pink)

An early Spring flowering type, with pretty, moss-like evergreen foliage which, during the flowering season, is hidden under the masses of bloom. An excellent plant for the rockery, or the border, and invaluable for carpeting the ground or covering graves.

Alba. Pure white.

Rosea. Bright rose.

Lilacina. Light lilac.

Vivid. Bright pink, red eye.

Each 25c., doz. \$2.50

PHLOX

Amoena. A useful variety for carpeting the ground, the rockery, or the border; it grows but 4 in. high, and in Spring is a sheet of rich bright pink flowers. Each 25c., doz. \$2.50.

HEMEROCALLIS (Yellow Daylily)

Very decorative plants with tall, graceful, grasslike foliage and Lilylike flowers. They are very effective when planted in groups in the hardy border or naturalized along streams or moist banks; also thrive in partial shade.

Dr. Regel. Handsome, very fragrant, rich orange yellow flowers in May. 1½ ft. Each 35c., doz. \$3.50.

Flava (Yellow Daylily). Clear yellow; fragrant. June to August. 2 to 3 ft. Each 35c., doz. \$3.50.

Fulva (Tawny Daylily). Flowers reddish yellow, with darker shadings. July. 4 ft. Each 30c., doz. \$3.00.

LYCHNIS

Chalcedonica (Jesusalem Cross). Intense scarlet. June to September. 2 ft. Each 35c., doz. \$3.50.

Viscaria splendens. Single. Scarlet flowers. July. 1½ ft. Each 35c., doz. \$3.50.

MONARDA (Beebalm)

Didyma. Large, brilliant scarlet flowers in profusion. June to September. 3 ft. Each 25c., doz. \$2.50.

Cambridge Scarlet. Bright scarlet flowers. Each 25c., doz. \$2.50.

CHRYSANTHEMUMS

HARDY POMPONS

Do not plant Chrysanthemums in the Autumn.

These Autumn flowering Chrysanthemums now take an important place among the hardy border plants for general outdoor decoration. Their bright and attractive flowers which are produced in great abundance, are highly prized for cutting. September to November. 1½ to 3 ft.

Each of the following varieties, each 25c., doz. \$2.50

A. Barham. Orange bronze. Matures October 5.

Carrie. Deep yellow. Matures September 20.

Cranfordia White. White. Matures October 15.

Eden. Bright rose. Matures October 1.

Firefly. Reddish bronze. Matures October 10.

Murillo. Rose pink. Matures October 5.

Wolverine. Bright yellow. Matures September 20.

Yellow Normandie. Deep yellow. Matures Oct. 5.

Zelia. Deep buff. Matures October 15.

VINCA (Myrtle)

Minor. Of a creeping habit, with evergreen foliage and bright flowers; finely adapted to covering bare spots and very shady places where grass will not grow. Green foliage; strong grower; flowers blue. April to June. Each 25c., doz. \$2.50.

TROLLIUS (Globeflower)

Europaeus. Large, globular, lemon colored, buttercuplike flowers on long stems. 18 in. Each 50c., 10 \$4.00.

TRITOMA

Hybrida, Express (Red Hot Poker). The earliest variety, blooming from July to October. 3 ft. Each 35c., doz. \$3.50.

YUCCA (Adams Needle)

Filamentosa. Immense clusters of creamy flowers. 4 to 5 ft. June and July. Each 35c., doz. \$3.50.

IRIS GERMANICA

SELECT EXHIBITION VARIETIES

The following varieties are the most magnificent newer acquisitions obtained up to the present time. Their colorings and form are superb, they represent the giants of the family both in size of individual flowers and habit of growth.

Ambassadeur. One of the finest. The stout stems bear flowers of largest size, magnificent form and unique coloring. Standards, deep lavender suffused with bronze; Falls, maroon with purplish cast. Each 25c.

Ballerine. A beautiful variety, flowers porcelain blue, with wavy margins. Falls, somewhat deeper in color. Fragrant. Each \$1.00.

Dream. Fine crinkled pink. Each 50c.

Lent A. Williamson. Exceptionally large flowers on tall, strong stems. Standards, bright Lobelia-blue, shot fawn at the edge; Falls, rich velvety purple, suffused blue at the edge, bright golden yellow beard. Each \$1.00.

Lord of June. One of the best, massive flowers of perfect form. Standards, pale lavender blue; Falls, deep aniline blue. Each 75c.

Mother of Pearl. Pale bluish lavender with faint, creamy undertone. Large flowers of perfect form. Tall, strong grower, producing its wonderful flowers very freely. Each 75c.

Opera. Very distinct, fine shaped flowers. Standards, coppery brown, dashed with purple; Falls, wine red, the base bronzy maroon penciled with gold. Each 50c.

Souv. de Mme. Gaudichan. Tall, early and distinct, a very rich deep velvety purple. Probably the finest dark colored Iris in existence today. Each 75c.

MISCELLANEOUS IRIS

Each 25c., doz. \$2.50

IRIS pumila. This interesting group of dwarf growing Irises furnishes us with valuable material for borders, edgings, and rock gardens. They grow about 9 in. high and bloom profusely.

Cyanea. Purple.

Helge. Lemon yellow.

Dorothea. Lavender.

Walhalla. Blue and purple.

